



# TEXAS VETERANS COMMISSION

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## News Release

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### **Military Veterans and Active Duty Personnel to Receive Much Needed Support at Benefits Fair**

**LONGVIEW** - The Texas Veterans Commission (TVC) is participating in a free Benefits Fair for all Veterans August 28, 2010 from 10 o'clock in the morning until 1 o'clock in the afternoon. The Fair will be conducted at the Maude Cobb Convention Center, 100 Grande Blvd, Longview, TX 75604-5852.

The fair is open to all Veterans, Active Duty Personnel currently serving in the Armed Forces and their families. The Texas Veterans Commission, Veterans Land Board (VLB), the U.S. Department of Veteran Affairs (VA), Small Business Administration (SBA), other federal and state agencies as well as nonprofit organizations will have professionals on hand to answer questions, provide information and assist Veterans, military members and their families with VA benefits, career, education and other services.

"The residents of Gregg, Harrison and Upshur Counties have a proud tradition of answering their nations call. Our counselors work hard to ensure these and all Veterans throughout the state, are aware of all benefits to which they are entitled," said Duncan McGhee, Director of Marketing and Training for the Texas Veterans Commission. "This event is open to all Veterans, dependents and surviving family members and all are encouraged to attend."

For more information, the public can call the Texas Veterans Commission in Austin at 1-800-252-VETS (8387) or visit the Texas Veterans Commission website at:  
[www.TexasVeteransCommission.org](http://www.TexasVeteransCommission.org)

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The Texas Veterans Commission's mission is to advocate for and provide superior service to Veterans and their families in the areas of disability claims assistance, employment services, education benefits and grant funding. Over 200 skilled counselors in 75 cities provide one-on-one guidance to Veterans and their families to ensure they receive all of the benefits to which they are entitled.